

## Graham Parker "Empty Lives"

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Pre>this one has bunch of chords that are easy to play  
if

The capo is at 4. chords mapped out as if they were  
open.

Intro em cmaj7 em cmaj7

Esus4 em cmaj7

I'm just a tick in a box on a questionnaire

Esus4 em cmaj7

Another moment that flashes into nowhere

Esus4 em cmaj7 c

A brand name on a pill that get's you there, ah ah ah ah

Esus4 em cmaj7

I'm getting nothing and expecting oblivion

Esus4 em cmaj7

The past ain't even worth livin in

Esus4 em cmaj7 c d7

Its just a nail that keeps being driven in ah ah ah ah

Esus4 em cmaj7

I'm cold blooded and completely relaxed

Esus4 em cmaj7

I'm breaking legs and avoiding the facts

Esus4 em cmaj7 c

On the up escalator going down all the cracks, yeah ah

ah ah ah

Esus4 em cmaj7

You are the dummies of another frightened nation

Esus4 em cmaj7

I am a candidate for elevation

Em dsus4 c

But when I woke up this morning I'd lost all sensation

D7

All sensation

Em c am

So get them, get him, but don't get me

Bm em c

Ah uh ah ah can't hear your cries

Am bm c  
So don't get me to fill up your empty lives  
Em cmaj7 em  
I I I I lives empty lives  
Cmaj7 em cmaj7 em cmaj7  
Your empty lives empty lives

Esus4 em cmaj7  
Be obedient, there is no escape  
Esus4 em cmaj7  
Forms to fill, time to kill love death and rape  
Esus4 em cmaj7 c  
Sleep baby sleep, don't let nothing awaken you  
ahhhhhhhh

Esus4 em cmaj7  
Don't look for tomorrow, it's given you the slip  
Esus4 em cmaj7

That's all contained on a silicon chip  
Em dsus4 c  
I'm losing shape for the eighties feeling everybody's  
grip slip  
D7  
Everybody's grip slip

Em c am  
So get them, get him, but don't get me  
Bm em c  
Ah uh ah ah can't hear your cries  
Am bm c  
So don't get me to fill up your empty lives  
Em d  
I I I I lives empty lives

C  
Just there waiting to be filled  
D  
With someone else's stronger will  
Am c  
Just can't reason to survive with empty empty  
D  
You got the empty empty, you got the empty empty,  
empty lives!

Yeah! (solo)

Esus4 em cmaj7  
Bring me water, bring me cocaine  
Esus4 em cmaj7  
Bring me something lethal, something that leaves a

